



Kristalyn Burns

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Qualifications

Highly proficient in the following software applications:

- Design Software: Dreamweaver, Edge Animate, Fireworks, InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop, and Quark XPress.
- Office Software: Apple iWork (Pages, Numbers, Keynote), MS Office (Powerpoint, Excel, Word).

Other skills: Flash, HTML5, CSS3, basic Javascript/JQuery, elementary PHP, Lightroom, Aperture, and Fontographer. Proficient with Microsoft Windows and Mac OS X platforms.

Education

9/2007-8/2009

Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design, with High Honors The New England Institute of Art

Achieved Dean's List in all semesters, 3.7 GPA
Graduation Date: August 14, 2009

9/2005-5/2007

Associate in Applied Science, Digital Graphic Design, with Highest Honors North Shore Community College

Achieved Dean's List in all semesters, 3.9 GPA
Graduation Date: May 24, 2007

9/1998-5/2002

Commercial Art Certificate, North Shore Technical High School

Employment

9/2013-present

Adjunct Faculty, North Shore Community College

Duties: Teach software courses in the Graphic Design program

2/2007-present

Freelance Graphic Designer, Kishgraphics

Duties: Assist with design services and illustrations for various corporate and promotional materials, including logos, brochures, booklets, flyers, and web sites.

9/2011-2/2013

Freelance Illustrator / Designer, Kidsack

Duties: Illustrate and edit line art to be screenprinted onto canvas backpacks for children to color, and assist with design and layout of advertising material.

9/2008-8/2009

Resident Assistant, The New England Institute of Art

Duties: Responsible for 190+ students in college housing. Develop and maintain positive relationships with residents and fellow staff members, enforce housing rules and regulations.

1/2008-8/2009

Peer Tutor, The New England Institute of Art

Duties: Assist students with homework and understanding class materials in both graphic design and general education courses.

2/2006-5/2007

Mac Lab Assistant/ Tutor, North Shore Community College

Duties: Monitor the Macintosh computer lab/ design studio. Assist students with software applications and serve as a tutor for peers in the Digital Graphic Design department.

Recognitions

2012

Certified Instructor, Hyper Martial Arts

2010

NCMPR Paragon Awards Judging Panel, Northeast Region

2009

Alpha Beta Kappa Honor Society Member, The New England Institute of Art

2009

Published in The Graphic Designer's Guide to Portfolio Design, 2nd Edition by Debbie Rose Myers

2008

Third Degree Black Belt, White Tiger Academy

2006-2007

Commonwealth Honors Program, North Shore Community College

2006

Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society member, North Shore Community College

2005

NASKA (North American Sport Karate Association) World Champion, creative weapons

2001

U.S. Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete of the Year, North Shore Tech

*** References and portfolio samples available upon request.**